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In re Application of: Jiang et al.

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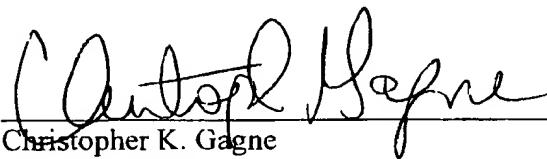
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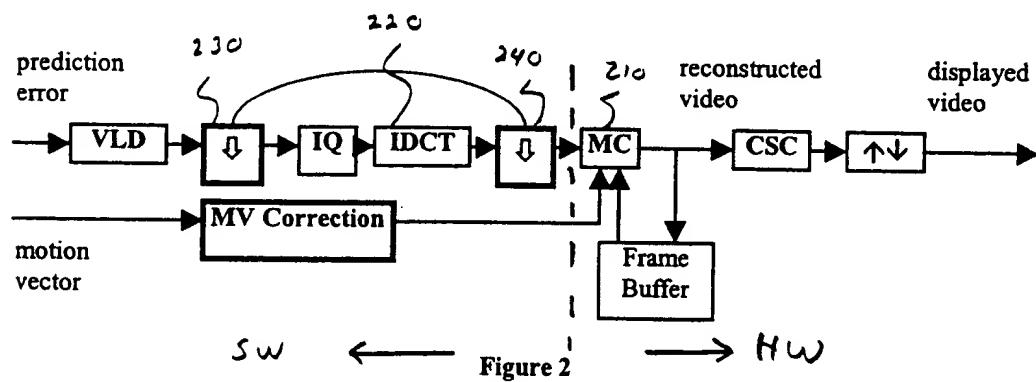
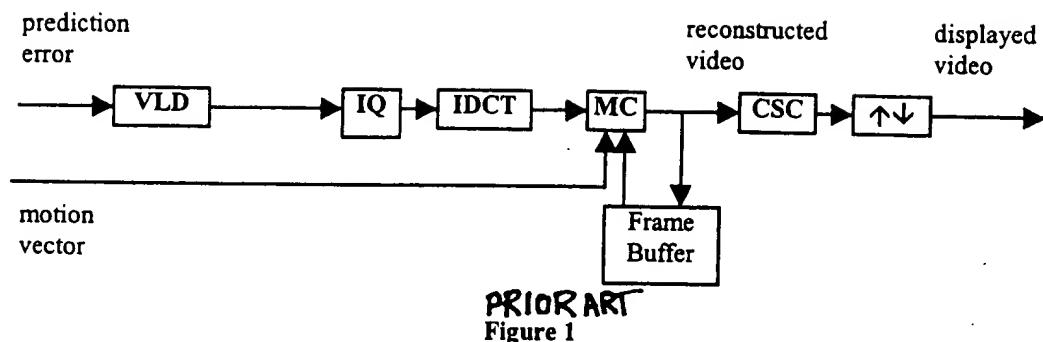
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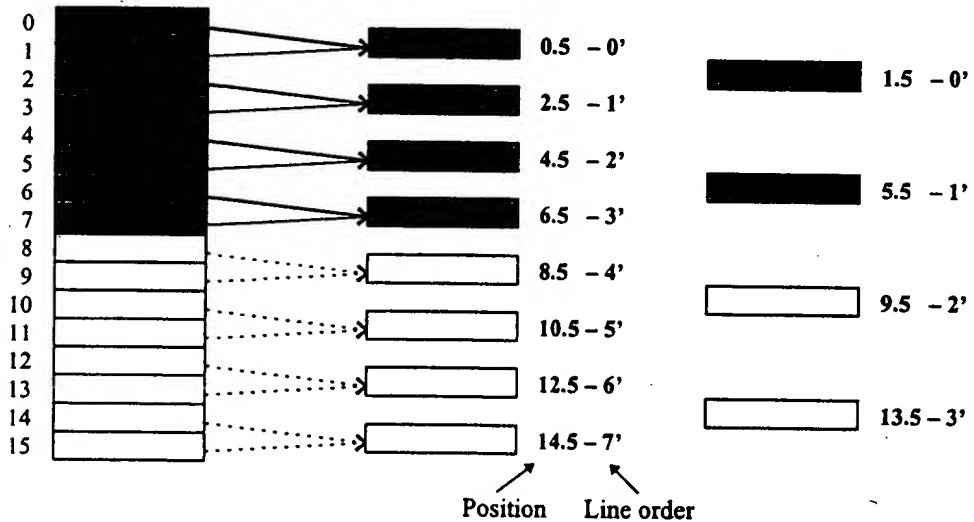
  
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## Figures



**Frame picture type with frame prediction**



(a) Left half of the original Luma macroblock

(b) 2:1 downsample with frame DCT data

(b) 4:1 downsample with frame DCT data

**Figure 3**